

House Bill 265

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Chapter 9 of Title 32 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to mass  
2 transportation, so as to repeal provisions relating to the suspension of restrictions on the use  
3 of annual proceeds from sales and use taxes by public transit authorities; to repeal provisions  
4 relating to the board of directors of the Metropolitan Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority; to  
5 provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to provide for contingent repeal;  
6 to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 Chapter 9 of Title 32 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to mass  
10 transportation, is amended by repealing in their entirety Code Sections 32-9-13 and 32-9-14,  
11 relating to the suspension of restrictions on the use of annual proceeds from sales and use  
12 taxes by public transit authorities and the board of directors of the Metropolitan Atlanta  
13 Rapid Transit Authority, respectively.

14 **SECTION 2.**

15 This Act shall become effective on January 1, 2014, only if an Act providing for the  
16 suspension of restrictions on the use of annual proceeds from sales and use taxes by the  
17 Metropolitan Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority and reconstituting the board of directors of the  
18 Metropolitan Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority is enacted at the 2013 regular session of the  
19 General Assembly. Otherwise, this Act shall not become effective and shall stand repealed  
20 on January 1, 2014.

21 **SECTION 3.**

22 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.